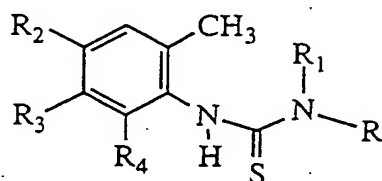


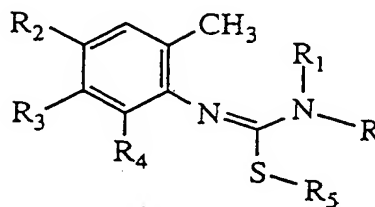
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# ABSTRACT

Antiatherosclerotic agents are provided which are represented by Formulas I or II:



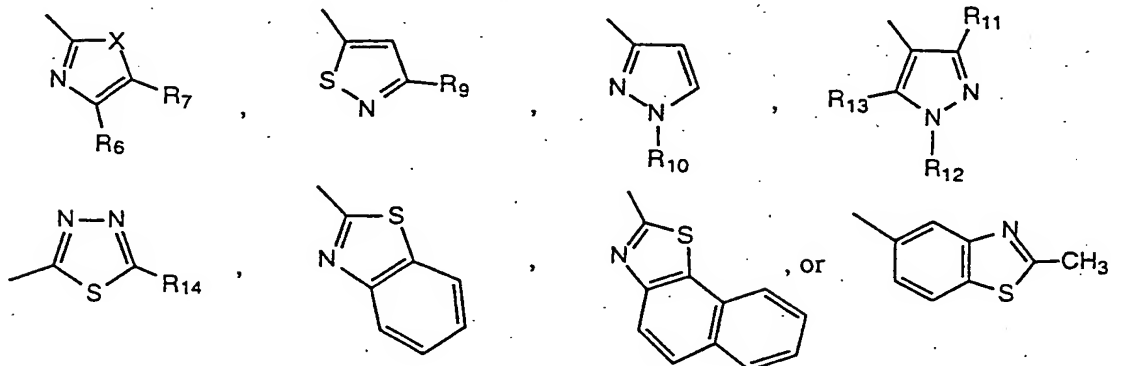
I



II

wherein

R is



wherein R<sub>9</sub>, R<sub>10</sub>, R<sub>11</sub>, R<sub>12</sub>, R<sub>13</sub>, and R<sub>14</sub> are each, independently, hydrogen or a lower alkyl of 1-6 carbon atoms;

R<sub>6</sub>, and R<sub>7</sub> are each, independently, hydrogen, lower alkyl of 1-6 carbon atoms, or CH<sub>2</sub>COOR<sub>8</sub>, where R<sub>8</sub> is a lower alkyl of 1-6 carbon atoms; and

X is O or S;

R<sub>1</sub> is hydrogen or a lower alkyl of 1-6 carbon atoms;

R<sub>2</sub>, R<sub>3</sub>, and R<sub>4</sub> are each, independently, hydrogen or halogen; and

R<sub>5</sub> is a lower alkyl of 1-6 carbon atoms;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.